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THE NEWPORT MERCURY was established in June, 1758, and is now in its one hundred and thirty-fourth year. It is the oldest newspaper in the United States, and has been published for more than a century. It is published weekly, except on Sundays and holidays, and is sold at the office of publication and at the various news stands in the city. It is a valuable source of information to the public, and is read by all who are interested in the affairs of the city and the State.

## Local Matters.

### A Bold Burglary.

A burglary, as bold in its conception as it was successful in its results, was perpetrated Thursday morning at the residence of Professor Gammell, of Providence. The Gammell residence is delightfully situated on the cliffs, a little north of Narragansett avenue and commands a fine view of the bathing beach and the Ocean. The back of the house is somewhat sheltered by trees, but the front of the building looks out upon a beautiful lawn. The villa is handsomely but not ostentatiously furnished. The silver ware, or at least a good portion of it, was kept on the ground floor and here it was discovered by the burglars—for there must have been more than one operator. Entrance was effected by boring a window and removing the fastening. It is reported that the police station that the entire household had not retired before half past twelve o'clock, so that it must have been between that time and 3:30 A. M., when the servants were about, that the robbery took place. The remnants of a hearty meal found in the dining-room in the morning showed the coolness of the thieves. The robbery is to be regretted under any circumstances, and there is additional regret felt for the loss because some of the articles were very highly treasured by Mrs. Gammell. Chief Turner, Detective Richards, and Sergeant Carley promptly took hold of the affair and are making investigations. We believe they can succeed if any one can and we sincerely hope they will and bring the rascals to justice.

Following is a list of the articles known to have been stolen:

- 1 silver plated soup tureen, marked "G. & E. A. G." 1 silver soup ladle, "E. A. G." 2 silver cream puffs, "E. A. G." 2 silver sugar bowls, 1 1/2 dozen small silver forks, 1 dozen large silver forks, 4 silver salt cellars, 4 silver salt spoons, lined with gold, 2 silver plates, 2 silver vases, 1 silver tray, 1 French brass clock, 1 pair silver scissors, 3 gold trinkets, 3 dozen silver spoons, 1 dozen damask silver tea spoons, 6 silver gilt egg spoons, 2 pair egg spoons, 1 broad scraper, 1 pair silver asparagus tongs, 1 silver ice cream knife, 2 silver butter knives, 2 silver sugar ladles, small, 2 silver tea-pots, old fashioned, 3 silver napkin rings.

### The McCullough Bust.

Mr. William Clark Noble's bust of McCullough for the monument at Mount Moriah, Philadelphia, was yesterday exhibited at the sculptor's atelier, the "Greenough studio," to a choice company of invited guests; our summer visitors. Today the rooms will be open to the public and we advise all who have an interest in art to take a look at this bust "in the clay," at its best, fresh from the artist's hand. We understand that it will be cast on Monday in the plaster, after which it passes to the Henry Bonnard Bronze Company of New York.

That the bust of McCullough gives Mr. Noble an immediate national reputation may be counted as one of those gifts which are of the gods. Mr. Noble has now leased the entire building where Mr. Greenough had his studio and very properly clings to the old name as of happy augury. He resides there with his young wife, a niece of our townsman, Mr. Benjamin Hazard, who showed herself to-day to be a charming hostess in her pretty rooms.

Mr. Noble is now engaged upon a life-size bust of the late Major General Robert B. Potter who at one time commanded the Ninth Army (Burnside's) Corps. This we are informed is being executed for a number of New York gentlemen most of whom were his comrades in arms.

Mrs. John Caldwell, of Philadelphia, has arrived at her cottage on Bellevue avenue. Collector Caldwell is expected to arrive in a few days.

Dr. Preston Sweet informs us by telegram that he will visit Newport again next month, and make his headquarters at Hotel Mayland, Pelham street, during the week beginning July 5.

### Newport Historical Society.

At the regular monthly meeting of this society, held at the Barney street rooms Monday evening, Dr. H. E. Turner continued his exceedingly interesting reminiscences of Newport sixty years ago. His discourse Monday evening treated with the east side of Thames street, from Mary street to Cannon street, and pointed out the changes which sixty years have wrought to that locality in a most interesting manner. At the close the speaker was given a hearty vote of thanks by the society.

Mr. Wm. R. Pitman was elected an active member of the Society, and Dr. H. E. Turner announced the following donations: From Mrs. Joshua R. Bigelow, of Boston, "The Beehive," or the Universal Weekly Pamphlet, 1734, published at London; and from B. W. Pearce, "Lectures on British India," by George Thompson, with preface by William Lloyd Garrison, Pawtucket, 1830; "Rights and Wrongs of Women," a poem, New York, 1874; Village Sermons, by George Burder, Philadelphia, 1815; Goldsmith's Poems, London, 1800; Rhode Island Almanac for 1844; Farmer's Almanac for 1845-47-48-49-50-51-52; Missionary Herald for December, 1834, and May, 1835; American Baptist Magazine for March, August, October and December, 1830; the card plate of Mr. and Mrs. William L. Dennis, engraved in London, and the pair of hand stamps for pilot bread, formerly used by R. Dennis.

### Steamer Providence Ashore.

Old Colony steamer Providence went ashore on Dyer's Island, off Southwick's Grove, about 6:30 Wednesday morning, while enroute from New York to Fall River, and thus far all efforts to float her have been vain. A dense fog prevailed at the time, which was the cause of the accident. The passengers were put aboard steamer River Queen and taken to Fall River, and the freight was also forwarded. The steamer lies easy on a sandy bottom, and it is not thought she is damaged to any great extent. She will probably be raised and floated with the aid of pontoons. Mr. Frank Waters, son of Captain John Waters of this city, met with quite a painful accident on board the young America, Wednesday night, while at work upon the stranded vessel, but fortunately no bones were broken and he expects to be about again in a few days.

### Improvements Around Bath Road.

On Bath Road, from Rhode Island avenue to and around Gibbs avenue, on the north side of the road and along the estates of Mrs. R. M. Mason the city workmen are engaged in making improvements to the sidewalk; straightening it along from Rhode Island to Gibbs avenue and making it very much wider, about 8 feet in width from Gibbs avenue down towards the beach. There will be a board fence out up against the bank averaging 12 feet, on the north side below Gibbs avenue. The great quantity of dirt which is given to the city is to be put on the land near the beach as a part of the improvements.

### He Didn't Want the Office.

Mr. Charles W. Corbett, elected to the office of High Sheriff of Newport county at the May session of the General Assembly, was to have qualified for the position yesterday and then resign, when, it is understood, Governor Davis has agreed to appoint ex-Deputy Postmaster Eugene W. Atkinson, of this city, to the vacancy. The rumor that Mr. Corbett would refuse to qualify, thus allowing the present incumbent, Mr. Benj. Easton, Jr., to hold over, evidently did not suit the tastes of the Democratic leaders.

Mr. and Mrs. James P. Kernochan, of New York, who have been here for some days, are preparing to move into their charming new residence, "The Cloister." This lovely place is one of the most beautiful of the many charming residences of which Newport proudly boasts. Its architectural points are odd but most pleasing to the eye, and the surroundings and marine view are excellent. Mr. and Mrs. Kernochan are always welcome here, for everybody knows that they take a deep interest in the prosperity of Newport. Their son, who bids fair to become the foremost amateur rider in this country, will be along in a few days.

The High School building lately dedicated at Fall River, the property of the city—the gift of Mrs. Young, to the memory of B. M. C. Durfee—is a great ornament to that place, and occupies with the lawns, &c., the whole square, bounded by Rock, Locust, High and Cherry streets. A view of it may be seen in the MERCURY window.

Mr. Benjamin Weaver, son of Mr. John G. Weaver Jr., is in town. He returns to Harvard for class day, and it is pleasant to know that he is making splendid progress at that ancient University.

Mr. and Mrs. Theodore A. Havemeyer, of New York, will arrive here on Monday.

### Grand Pilgrimage of the Brooklyn Tabernacle Society. Rev. T. De Witt Talmage, D. D., Pastor.

The Pilgrims will leave New York on Friday, July 1st, at 7 P. M., in the steamer Pilgrim, for Newport, and on Saturday, July 2nd, at 7 A. M., they will leave here by special train for Wood's Hole, thence by the fine new steamer, Nantucket, for Cottage City, Martha's Vineyard, at which place they will arrive about 11 A. M. In the evening of that day, there will be a grand illumination in honor of the arrival of Dr. Talmage, and the Pilgrims, and on Sunday, July 3rd, Dr. Talmage will preach in the Great Tabernacle at 11 A. M. Prof. Browne, Tabernacle organist, and Prof. Ali, concert preceptor will conduct the music, and at 4 P. M., a sacred concert will be given in Ocean Park, by the Fitchburg Military Band. Monday, July 4th, will be celebrated at Oak Bluffs where a Fourth of July oration will be delivered by Dr. Talmage at 11 A. M.; day fireworks in the afternoon, and a general illumination in the evening. Tuesday July 5th, they will make an excursion to Nantucket, leaving the Vineyard at 8 A. M. and Nantucket at 3 P. M., and in the evening there will be a grand reception and collation tendered by the "Martha's Vineyard Club," to Dr. Talmage and the Pilgrims, at the "Sea View," and this will terminate in a social and hop at the Casino, and on Wednesday July 6th, they will leave on the steamer Nantucket, for Newport, and will arrive here about 12 o'clock, noon, dining at the Ocean House from 1 to 4 P. M. and will leave here at 9 P. M. in the steamer Pilgrim, which has been chartered exclusively for the Brooklyn Pilgrims, and will arrive at New York, about 7 A. M. on Thursday, connecting with Annex boat for Brooklyn.

### The Brooks Memorial Service.

There was a very large congregation at the Channing Church Sunday, the occasion of the Brooks Memorial service. Since the death of their former pastor, Rev. Chas. T. Brooks, the congregation have each year had a memorial service, and Sunday's sermon was preached by Rev. Augustus Woodbury, of Providence, who selected as his text, words from John XII-3, "And the house was filled with the odor of the oilment." The reverend gentleman made some very beautiful and touching references to the life and character of the deceased clergyman. The memorial tablet was very handsomely adorned with flowers, while from the direction of the platform came a lovely odor from the petals which well nigh hid the desk from view. In the afternoon there was a memorial service at the grave of Mr. Brooks. The Sabbath school children attended and fairly covered the grave with flowers. The hymn "Sweet June Day," composed by Mr. Brooks was sung, and interesting addresses were made by Rev. Mr. Day, and Rev. Mr. Woodbury. The service at the grave was concluded by responsive reading of the Lord's prayer. A large number of persons were present.

Prof. J. Warren Andrews will enter upon a much needed vacation on Monday, when he, with his family, will go to Lynn, Mass., the home of his parents. He will attend the annual convention of the National Music Teachers Association at Indianapolis, July 5, 6, 7, and 8, as one of the three delegates from the Rhode Island association, and expects to return to Newport the latter part of the month.

Mr. Francis Talbot, a well-known resident of Middletown and proprietor of Talbot's Nursery, met with a painful accident Wednesday morning. He slipped while ascending the stone steps at the rear entrance to his cottage and fell to the ground, dislocating his shoulder, and severely bruising other parts of his body. The fracture was reduced by Dr. Sweet and he is now doing as well as could be expected, although it will be several weeks before he will be able to move about much.

Fourth of July comes one week from Monday. The only celebration in this State of any importance on that occasion will be in Providence. Newport will only have a children's day. More money is needed to make that a complete success. Will not some of the philanthropic wealthy men come forward with a few more donations to add to the very generous ones of Major Gibbs and Mayor Fowler?

There is to be an important sale at Aquidneck Hall, Mill street, next week, and all housekeepers should read Mr. Burlington's announcement in another column of this paper. The sale will include \$50,000 worth of lace and Madras curtains, silk portieres, etc., all to be disposed of under the hammer without reserve.

Rear-Admiral John J. Almy, U. S. Navy, having served nine years as a member of the "Board of Visitors to the Government Hospital for the Insane," by appointment of the President, has requested to be relieved from further service.

### Natural History Society.

On Thursday evening the 23d inst., one of the monthly meetings of this Society took place at the Barney Street Hall. In the temporary absence of the President, Colonel Powell, it was presided over by Dr. H. R. Storer. There were two communications, the first one being "Notes on food-fishes" by Mr. J. M. K. Southwick. In furnishing facts and figures regarding the great fish industry of this country, he stated that many fishes not generally used for food, were palatable and healthy. He spoke of the introduction into our ponds here, of the pickerel by Mr. Wm. Bliss some 16 years ago, as an instance of successful importation of a species into a new locality. The fish were brought from Connecticut. This paper drew forth quite a long conversation in which Mr. Gordon Kling, Mr. Stephen Norman, Mr. A. Parmenter, Mr. Taylor and Mr. Gannon, a visitor from Salem, joined. The second communication was by the Curator, Mr. Taylor, on a donation recently presented by Mr. A. B. Almon, namely, of a mounted Tarantula from Florida, with its nest, and a specimen of the winged insect known as the "Tarantula Killer." This Tarantula was the large, hairy spider, of a venomous nature, known as the "Mygallo bentzli," and the strange-looking insect called in the South, particularly in Texas, the Tarantula Killer, was the "Pompilus formosus." This wasp did not completely kill, but by its sting it had the power of instantly paralyzing and numbing the huge spider, which it then dragged into a hole, and used as a permanent piece of interred animal food whereon to hatch its young who fed on the spider when hatched. A species of the "Mygallo" found near the Amazon was powerful enough to capture and eat little birds. Some native snakes in bottles were presented by Dr. Horatio R. Storer. Mr. Daniel B. Fearing, was elected a member of the Society. Such conversational evenings, with short communications, are especially calculated to further the objects of the Natural History Society; for many persons prefer short and varied communications to a thorough and complete review of any one subject; and all tastes are, sooner or later, suited by asking members to speak briefly on such natural history items as most interest them.

### [From the Daily Scourer.] Gifts to Dr. Grace.

In a general way it was stated in the Season last week that Rev. Philip Grace, D. D., had been the recipient of a number of very beautiful gifts on the occasion of his silver jubilee. Some of them were exceptionally costly and beautiful. Bishop Harkins sent a pure silver set with his hearty congratulations; from the Doctor's brother, Rev. Thomas Grace, of Fall River, came a large sized portrait executed by Sister Barbara, of Providence; Father Thomas F. Duran, Chancellor of the Diocese, sent a splendid edition of Henry F. Brownson's works; from Mrs. C. M. O'Brien, a lovely brass-mounted mahogany secretary; Father Christie Hughes sent a magnificent edition of Shakespeare, illustrated and in two volumes; a beautiful brass clock was the gift of Father Clime; lace curtains for the drawing room were from Mrs. John LaFarge, and there were scores of others. The reverend gentleman must have a host of kind friends and well wishers.

The dining-room at the Beach pavilion is now ready for patronage, and the work on the remainder is being rapidly pushed forward. Ten men have been discharged, and about twenty are still employed. There has been some bathing for two weeks past, with good accommodations. The private bathing houses are being engaged daily by new patrons. There are great numbers of summer residents now visiting the beach, and the season there looks well, and promises to be a prosperous one for all.

The marriage of Dr. W. S. Greene to Miss Marian Hammett, daughter of Mr. Albert Hammett, took place at the residence of the bride's aunt, Mrs. Oliver Read, on Tuesday evening. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. F. F. Emerson, of the United Congregational church. To the wedding were invited only relatives of the contracting parties. Later they started for New York. Dr. and Mrs. Greene have a host of friends who cordially wish them both a long life, great prosperity and much happiness.

Mr. J. T. Atterbury, of New York, who is occupying the Rhina cottage; Mr. Fred D. Thompson, of New York, who is at the Cliff Cottage Hotel; Mr. Newbold L. R. Edgar, of New York; Mr. Hugh T. Dickey, Jr., of New York; Mr. Edmund Warren, of New York; and Dr. Battersby, of England who is Mr. Warren's guest, are registered at the Casino Club.

Mr. J. C. Mulally's orchestra which have been engaged for the Casino this year will play for the first time this year on the morning of July 4th. The first dance of the season will take place on the evening of that day.

### [From the Newport Daily Scourer.] The Society of the Cincinnati.

Newport is to be honored in a very exceptional manner this year, namely by the presence here of the General Society of the Cincinnati of the United States. This time-honored and patriotic society propose holding the fifteenth session in this city, and, commencing on the 27th proximo, it is expected that the labors of the meeting will keep the members together for several days. Such an organization should receive a most cordial welcome from the citizens of Newport especially under the historical circumstances which are sufficient to fire the heart of every true patriot. Every member of the Society of the Cincinnati is a direct descendant of some patriot who fought during the great struggle for American freedom.

The loyal, patriotic feeling which filled the breasts of our forefathers a hundred years ago are to be found deeply and firmly rooted in the nature of those who to-day are keeping alive this great American organization. When one recalls such names as Hamilton, and Schuyler, and Greene they are almost brought face to face with the brave heroes of the Revolutionary War who sacrificed so much that their own, dear native land might live entirely independently of any other nation. Such names will be represented here upon the occasion of the forthcoming triennial session of the society and they as well as others, even though these latter be the possessors of less conspicuous names, should be accorded a grand welcome and made to feel that the people of Newport to-day are proud of the labors of these men as well as their visitors' ancestors. There should be some organized effort to give a fitting welcome to these men. It is understood that during their tarry here the members will pay visits to spots in this vicinity which possess Revolutionary historical interest. We trust that something will be done to show that Newport people are not unmindful of the honor about to be done them by the visit of the Society of the Cincinnati.

To-day the R. I. Woman's Christian Temperance Union will make an excursion from Providence to this city in the steamer Day Star. Included in their arrangements is a turn around the "Ocean Drive." The boat leaves here on her return at 5 P. M. On the same day the Cranston Street Baptist Sunday School of Providence will make their eighteenth annual excursion to Oakland Beach and Newport in the steamer River Queen, accompanied by a band.

The steamer Hermann S. Caswell will commence her trips between Newport and Narragansett Pier on Monday next. She will leave Newport at 7:15, 9:45 A. M., and 5:15 P. M. The season at the Pier will this year surpass any of the former seasons in brilliancy and the travel between the two resorts will probably be large.

Mr. Hy A. Cram, of New York, who is occupying the Sands cottage; Mrs. Alexander Van Rensselaer, of New York, who is at her cottage on Montanoni avenue; Mr. Townsend Smith, of Newport, and Mr. F. N. Rhinecliff, of New York, are registered at the Casino.

Mr. John Parker, of this city, a respected member of Roger Williams Lodge, left here Wednesday night for Providence, en route for New York, where he will take the steamer Arizona on the 28th inst. for Liverpool. Mr. Parker's friends wish him a pleasant voyage and a safe return.

The impression has been obtained in newspapers abroad that Professor C. W. Shields, of Princeton, N. J., one of our highly respected summer residents, would not occupy his cottage this year. Professor Shields and his family are now here for the season.

Mr. John P. Canfield, an old Newporter and at present engaged at the Union Square Hotel, New York, is visiting friends here. He is just recovering from a very severe illness. Mr. Canfield will probably go to the White Mountains to recuperate his health.

Professor Foster has arranged to give dancing lessons at the Casino and will begin on Monday of next week. This gentleman's marked ability in his profession is well known and he doubtless will secure large patronage.

Mr. Daniel Watson has sold for Henry M. Castoff and others a building lot containing about 10,000 square feet of land situated on Brook street, Conanicut Island, to Mrs. James Hopkins of Philadelphia for \$1000.

The large and handsome floral shield which was suspended from the centre of the Opera House on Tuesday evening was presented to Mrs. Julia Ward Howe by Roger Williams Lodge.

The paragonage of Tourou chapel has been put in order for the new pastor, with new carpets, wall paper and gas fixtures. Lieut. J. D. J. Kelly, U. S. Navy, arrived in town this week. He has a large number of friends here who are always glad to see him.

### The First Methodist Church.

The services at this place of worship Sunday were very interesting throughout the entire day. In the afternoon the pastor, Rev. J. A. L. Rich, delivered an interesting discourse especially for the children. His theme was "Inspiration of Childhood" and he used as his text the following, namely:—"Apples of gold in baskets of silver." Prov. 25:11. "The of good cheer, O my children," Baruck 4:1.

Following is a brief synopsis of the discourse:—"The precious gift of childhood to the world is fittingly represented by the King's gift to his invited guests on his birthday, when he gave to each one a golden apple in a basket of silver. The basket was wrought in filigree work of beautiful design, yet the golden apple was of greater value. So the beauty and inspiration of childhood as it gladdens the faces of men and brings joyous smiles to their lips is but a promise of greater good to their friends and the world. The golden years of childhood is the seed time. The union of a pure heart with the beauty of person adds a charm of untold value, 'a joy forever.' Childhood is a Christian grace. Its effect on children is like sunlight to the rose. It unfolds the life and beauty. What an inspiration to look into the happy faces and hear their joyous rattle. No wonder that the Master who saw so much of the life about him, distorted and unreal, set the child as a fitting type of His kingdom where a little child shall lead. First by innocence of life and purity of heart, for out of the heart are the issues of life."

By the animation and vivacity, the child is no exception to the general rule that activity and usefulness increase and perpetuate happiness, all joyous life is action. How can we as Christian workers aid in unfolding this young life about us? It is to bring to them the sunshine of loving hearts and constant thought for their present happiness and future good. We should study their disposition and tendencies, at all times keeping in view that members of this organization as well as principle taught, are essential to success in the education of children in the Sunday School and Church as well as in the home. Love is the inspiration of the child. It is by this power they can be led up to a pure and virtuous life.

### The Late Ex-Alderman Langley.

At a meeting of the Board of Directors of the Redwood Library and Athenaeum, held on Monday, June 13, A. D. 1887, the following resolutions were unanimously adopted:

Whereas, John T. Langley, a director, and long the treasurer of this Corporation, has, in the Providence of God, been removed from this life since the last meeting of this Board, and it is fitting and appropriate that we should take such action, as may appear to be proper, expressive of the appreciation of the services to this Library of our deceased associate; it is therefore

Resolved, That in the absence of Mr. Langley this Board of Directors recognize the loss to this Institution of a conscientious, faithful and efficient officer, who, as Treasurer and Director, has uprightly and wisely discharged all the duties which devolved upon him, and that the members of this Board have been deprived of a highly respected and useful associate.

Resolved, That a copy of this preamble and resolutions be placed upon the records, and that a copy thereof signed by the President and Secretary be transmitted to the widow of the deceased. A true copy—attest,

Wm. P. SHEFFIELD, JR., Sec'y.

### GRADUATING EXERCISES OF THE FIRST GRAMMAR CLASS, CODDINGTON Hall, June 29, 1887, 2:30 P. M.

Recitations by members of the graduating class:

History—"The Mound Builders," "The Northmen," "The Acquired Territory of the United States," "The Duel between the Monitor and the Merrimack."

Geography—"The Classes of Society," "Newport Harbor," "The Commerce of United States," "The Language of the Classes of Verbs," "Discrimination in the Use of Words."

Arithmetic—"Money," "Standard or Railroad Time," "The Pythagorean Proposition," "Promissory Notes."

Patriotic Readings. Singing by members of the first and second grammar classes.

Awarding of Diplomas; presentation of the King Medals for Amiability, and of the Read and Pell Scholarship Medals to members of the graduating class.

Awarding of the Gibbs Scholarship. Prizes to the girl and boy of highest rank in each grade of the public schools above the Second Primary.

### Newport Associates No. 4, North- ern Mutual Relief Association.

At a regular meeting held Tuesday evening June 21 the following officers were elected for the term ending Dec. 31, 1887.

President—John A. Peckham.  
Vice President—William S. Bailey.  
Secretary—Sarah A. Gavill.  
Collector—David Storons.  
Treasurer—Daniel L. Cummings.  
Chaplain—Remington Ward.  
Marshal—Arthur L. Gilman.  
Inner Warden—Andrew J. Kirwin.  
Outer Warden—John E. Holton.  
Organist—Hattie J. Rachellor.  
Medical Examiner—C. P. Barker, M. D.  
Relief Committee—John J. Peckham, William S. Bailey, Remington Ward, Mrs. C. M. Crandall, Mrs. Sarah A. Gavill.  
Trustees—James B. Brown, John P. Sanborn, Edward F. Marsh.

The officers elect will be installed on Tuesday evening July 5, by Overton G. Langley, deputy marshal. Interesting services will be held in St. George's church to-morrow, in memory of the late Lieut. Arthur H. Clarke, of the United States Marine Corps.

## COAL.

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CITY BRIEFS.

### Jottings of Newport and Newporters.

The mother of Ida Lewis is quite ill.

Mrs. R. G. Remsen and family, of New York, have arrived for the season.

Miss Sarah Woolsey, of this city, will spend July at Colorado Springs.

The graduation of the children of the public schools will occur next week.

Mr. Seth H. Brownell and family of Providence, have arrived at their residence, Whitestone, across the beaches.

Mr. W. M. Kingsland and family, of Scarborough-on-Hudson, have returned to New York.

Mrs. G. Cottrell, who spent the winter in Washington, has gone to Lenox for the season.

Mr. James G. Townsend, manager of the Press News Association, New York, was in town on Tuesday.

Mr. Edward Tuck, of New York, has arrived at the Eldridge villa on Oolite Point.

Mr. and Mrs. William Astor, of New York, are at their villa on Bellevue avenue.

Miss Dickey, of New York, has arrived at the Creighton cottage on Kay street.

Mr. Walter Howe and family, of New York, have taken possession of the Glover villa near Ocean avenue.

The appearance of Washington Square is the occasion of much favorable comment. It never looked so beautiful and fresh as now.

Mr. and Mrs. James P. Kernochan, of New York, took possession of their beautiful new house, The Cloister, a day or two ago.

Messrs. Porter, Whipple, & Derby have rented for Mr. A. S. Hatch his villa on Kay street to Mr. Henry A. Robbins, of New York, for the season.

It is understood that the loss by fire sustained by the Rev. Dr. Giliat has been in a manner adjusted by the insurance company.

Mrs. Edward T. Potter and family arrived Tuesday at their cottage on the corner of Catherine street and Greenough place.

The tern schooner Gardiner B. Reynolds, completely rigged and sails bent, is to be launched from John M. Brooks's ship-yard East Boston, on Wednesday next at 5 P. M.

A private letter from Gov. Van Zandt, who is now at Richfield Springs, conveys the pleasing information that his health is very much improved since he has been in New York.

Dr. C. A. Brackett, of this city, read a paper on "Dental Pathology and Therapeutics," at the annual meeting of the New Hampshire Dental Society Tuesday at Concord.

At the Rhode Island Horticultural Society's June exhibition of roses, strawberries and cut flowers, held in Providence this week, Hon. George Bancroft was awarded a special prize for a magnificent display of romonts, the best ever exhibited in Providence.



## Poetry.

## The Skin.

The following rhymes were written by Sir Alfred Power, who, during a long official career, was the main instrument in establishing the present Four Law system in Ireland. His name, says an English paper, deserves to be held in honor as that of one of the strong officials to whom Ireland owes whatever good government it has had in the past and present. It may fairly be classed with those of Sir Thomas Arnold, Sir Alexander Macdonnell, and Sir Richard Griffith, all of whom in their different departments devoted long and laborious lives to the details of Irish administration.

There's a skin without, and a skin within,  
A covering skin, and a lining skin,  
But the skin within is the skin without,  
Doubled inwards and carried completely  
throughout.

The palate, the nostrils, the whiplash and throat  
Are all of them lined with this inner skin,  
Which through every pore is made to extend,  
Lungs, liver, and bowels from end to end.

The outside skin is a marvelous plan  
For excluding the drugs of the flesh of man,  
While the inner extracts from the food and  
the air.

What is needed the waste of the flesh to repair,  
Too much brandy, whiskey, or gin  
Is apt to disorder the skin within,  
While if dry and dry, the skin without  
Refuses to let the sweat come out.

Good people all, have a care of your skin,  
Both that without and that within,  
To the first, give plenty of water and soap,  
To the last, little else but water, we hope.

But always be very particular where  
You get your water, your food, and your air,  
For if these be tainted or rendered foul,  
It will have its effect on the blood, be sure.

The food which will ever for you be the best,  
Is that you like most, and can stomach digest.  
All simple fruit and decaying flesh  
Beware of, and that that is not very fresh.

Your water, transparent and pure as you think it,  
Had better be filtered and boiled ere you drink it,  
Unless you know surely that nothing unclean  
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All you thus kindly take care of your skin,  
And attend to its wants without and within,  
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## Selected Tale.

## THE BANK NOTE.

A STORY WITH A MORAL.

"Are you returning immediately to Worcester?" said Lady Leslie, a widow residing near that city, to a young officer who was paying her a morning visit. "I am. Can I do anything for you there?"

"Yes; you can do a great kindness. My confidential servant, has gone out for the day and night; and I do not like to trust my new footman, of whom I know nothing, to put this letter in the post-office, as it contains a fifty pound note."

"Indeed! that is a large sum to trust to the post."

"Yes; but I am told it is the safest conveyance. It is, however, quite necessary that a person whom I can trust should put the letter in the box."

"Certainly," replied Captain Freeland. Then with an air that showed he considered himself as a person to be trusted, he deposited the letter in safety in his pocket-book, and took leave, promising he would return to dinner, the next day, which was Saturday.

On his road Freeland met some of his brother officers, who were going to pass the day and night at Great Malvern; and as they earnestly pressed him to accompany them, he wholly forgot the letter entrusted to his care; and, having despatched his servant to Worcester for his bag and trunk, and other things, he turned back with his companions, and passed the rest of the day in that sunbathing but amusing idleness, that doles far niente (sweet doing nothing), which may be reckoned comparatively virtuous, if it leads to the forgetfulness of little duties only, and is not attended by the positive forgetfulness of greater ones. But, in not putting this important letter into the post, as he had agreed to do, Freeland violated a real duty; so, feeling he had put it in at Malvern, had not the encounter with his brother officers banished the commission given him entirely from his thoughts; nor did he remember it till, as they rode through the village the next morning, on their way to Worcester they met Lady Leslie walking on the road.

At sight of her, Freeland recollected with shame and confusion that he had not fulfilled the charge committed to him; and, feeling that he had passed her unobserved; for, she was a woman of high fashion, great talents, and some severity, he was afraid that his negligence, if avowed, would not only cause him to forfeit her favor, but expose him to her powerful sarcasm.

To avoid being recognized was, however, impossible; and as soon as Lady Leslie saw him, she exclaimed, "Oh, Captain Freeland! how glad I am to see you! I have been quite uneasy concerning my letter since I gave it your care, for it was of such consequence. Did you put it into the post yesterday?"

"Certainly," replied Freeland, hastily, and in the hurry of the moment; "certainly. How could you, my dear madam, doubt my obedience to your commands?"

"Thank you! thank you!" cried she. "How you have relieved my mind." "He had done so; but he had painfully burdened his own. To be sure, it was only a white lie—the LIE OF FEAR. Still he was not used to uttering falsehoods, and he felt the meanness and degradation of this. He had to learn that it was a mischievous also; and that none can presume to say where the consequences of a lie will be, as it is a seed which will grow. As soon as Freeland parted with Lady Leslie, he bade his farewell, and putting spurs to his horse, scarcely slackened his pace till he had reached a general post office, and deposited the letter in safety.

"Now, then," thought he, "I hope I shall be able to return and dine with Lady Leslie, without shrinking from her penetrating eye."

He found her when he arrived, very pensive and silent, so much so that she felt it necessary to apologize to her guests, informing them that Mary Benson an old servant of hers who was very dear to her, was seriously ill, and painfully circumstanced; and that she feared she had not done her duty by her.

"To tell you the truth, Capt. Freeland," said she speaking to him in a low voice, "I blame myself for not having sent for my confidential servant, who was not far off, and despatched him with the money, instead of trusting it to the post."

"It would have been better to have done so, certainly," replied Freeland, deeply blushing.

"Yes, for the poor woman to whom I sent it is not only in a very precarious state of health, but she has a sick husband, unable to be removed; and as (but owing to no fault of his) he is on the point of bankruptcy, his cruel land-

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"True, very true," replied Freeland, in a tone which he vainly tried to render steady.

A naturally ingenious and generous nature cannot shake off the first impressions visitings of conscience for having committed an unworthy action, and having been the means of injury to another. All on a sudden, however, his countenance brightened; and as soon as the ladies left the table, he started up, left his compliments and excuses with Lady Leslie's nephew, who presided at dinner; said he had a pressing call at Worcester; and, when there, as the London mail was gone, he threw himself into a post-chaise, and set off for Worcester by the post-office stage.

Freeland soon found the residence of Mary Benson. "At least," said Freeland to himself, with a lightened heart, "I shall now have the satisfaction of doing all I can to repair my fault." But owing to the delay occasioned by the want of horses, and by finding the ostlers at the inn in bed, he did not reach London until the place of his destination till the wretched fault had been disclosed; while the unhappy wife was weeping, not only over the disgrace of being removed, and for her own and her husband's increased illness in consequence of it, but from the agonizing suspicion that the mistress and friend, whom she had so long loved and relied upon, had disregarded the tale of her sorrows, and refused to relieve her necessities.

Freeland soon found a conductor to the mean lodgings in which the Bensons had obtained shelter; for they were well known and their fate was generally pitied; but it was sometime before he could speak, as he stood by their bed-side. He was clothed with painful emotions at first—with pleasing emotions afterwards; for his conscience smote him for the pain he had occasioned, and he longed to restore to the which he owed to restore.

"I come," said he at length; while the sufferers waited in almost angry wonder to hear his reason for thus intruding upon them. "I come to tell you from your kind friend, Lady Leslie."

"Then she has not forgotten me?" screamed out the poor woman, almost gasping for breath.

"No, to be sure she could not forget you; she was sensible," here his voice wholly failed him.

"Thank Heaven!" cried she, tears trickling down her pale cheek; "I can bear anything now; for that was the bitterest act of all!"

"My good woman," said Freeland, "it was owing to a mistake—pshaw! no; it was owing to my fault, that you did not receive a fifty pound note by the post yesterday."

"Fifty pounds!" cried the poor man, wringing his hands; why, that would have saved me, and I could have gone on with my business, and my lives would not have been risked, nor I disgraced!"

Freeland now turned away, unable to say a word more; but recovering himself, he again drew near them, and throwing his purse to the agitated speaker, said, "There! get well on your feet; and I will never lose this horrible choking wick I live!"

Freeland took a walk after this scene, and with hasty, rapid strides, the painful choking being his companion very often during the course of it, for he was hunted by the image of those whom he had disgraced; and he could not help remembering that, however blameworthy his negligence might be, it was nothing, either in selfishness or mischief, to the tie to consent to, and that, but for that tie of fear, the effects of his negligence would have been repaired in time.

But he was resolved that he would not leave Somers Town till he had seen these poor people settled in a good lodging. He therefore hired a conveyance for them, and superintended their removal that evening to apartments full of every necessary comfort.

"My good friends," said he, "I cannot recall the mortification and disgrace which you have endured through my fault; but I trust that you will have gained, in the end, by leaving a cruel landlord, who had no pity for your unmerited poverty. Lady Leslie's note will I trust, reach you to-morrow; but if not, I will make up the loss; therefore be easy; and when I go away may I have the comfort of knowing that your removal has done you no harm?"

He then, but not till then, had the courage to write to Lady Leslie, and tell her the whole truth, concluding his letter thus:

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The Paris Season & Fiasco.

It is said, week after week, to have nothing to record but the bankruptcy of Parisian luxury, and yet that is all there is to be said. The Paris season of 1837 has been an absolute fiasco as a whole and in detail, and the Grand Prix week has been one of the poorest and dullest on record, although there has been no sunshine. Through this mere absence of sunlight a hundred industries are languishing; this year the open-air life of Paris will not have existed at all, and a whole season will have been lost, for the first signal of exodus is the Grand Prix, and in a few days the Parisian will begin to migrate to the seaside, to the mountains, or to the environs of the capital, and to those wonderful toy villas, with an outlook on the railway track and a garden where there is just room enough to smoke a pipe provided the steam is not too long. [From the London World.]

Pat's Defence.

A soldier of a Cavalry regiment during the Crimean war was brought up for stealing his comrade's liquor-ration. He was an Irishman, and his defence was unique: "I'd be sorry, indeed, sur, to be called a thief. I put the liquor in the same bottle, and mine was at the bottom, and shure I was obliged to drink his to get at my own. Och, sur, it's meself that 'd scorn to be a thief!"

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"Certainly; he's a friend of mine."

"Well, do you know," the waiter says, his face growing longer. "I made a mistake of 50 cents in his check, and I had to pay it out of my own pocket. I thought I would tell you because it's hard, you know, for a poor man with a family and \$8 a week to get stuck that way."

"Don't say another word, my man; here's half a dollar to make good your loss."

The waiter pockets the half and thanks the gentleman.

If each of the supper party of four appears at the restaurant within a reasonable time the waiter can count on a net profit on the side of \$2.

Little Isaac Moses, whose grandfather began life as an errand-boy and finished as a millionaire, was paid by his mother a penny a dozen for pins picked up from the carpet, to keep the baby from getting them. "Nurse," said little Isaac, as his stock of pennies increased, "do you know what I am going to do when I have sixpence?"

"No," answered nurse. "I am going to buy a paper of pins and scatter them all over the floor, and then pick them up," replied the young financier, who was barely six years old.

## A Father of Malaprop.

An old soldier has been for a long time curator of a certain public educational institution. In accordance with the duties of his responsible position, it has sometimes fallen to his lot to remind the students of forgotten regulations. "Gentlemen," he cried out on one occasion, when a threatening game of leap-frog was going on in a somewhat shady gallery. "Why this violent disturbance?" "Well," was the reply, "what business is it of yours?" "Gentlemen," he responded indignantly, displaying his full height, "do you know that I am placed here by the governors of this college to conserve this building?" At another time the prank was played upon him of being simultaneously summoned by two students from different ends of the corridor. "Gentlemen," he cried out, "I really cannot be iniquitous!" The snow one winter found its way through the roof. "Sir," he said to the principal, "this building is replete nowhere." "Complete, you mean, Thomas." "No, replete, sir," replied Thomas, with soldierlike decision and imperturbability. On another occasion, after heavy rains, there was dire disaster of maldormous flood in the cellars. "Sir," reported the school, "has resuscitated all the drains to overflowing." And, again, when the water pipes were in some way out of order—"Sir, the pipes are corroded with rust, and I myself am corroded with mud." It was his duty to make copies of examination papers by means of a copying-press. The press at one time was not working up to its former high standard of excellence. Said Thomas, with an air of injured dignity, "Sir, I used to be able to take fourteen copies from a single impression; but now, when I have taken six, subsequent copies are altogether inaudible."

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Restaurant and beer saloon waiters have devised a new scheme for making an honest penny "on the sly," which is decidedly an ingenious one. A party of four take supper after the theatre. One of them pays the check. The next time either of the four goes to the restaurant the waiter puts on a long face.

"Do you know the gentleman who paid for your supper the other night?" he asks.

"Certainly; he's a friend of mine."

"Well, do you know," the waiter says, his face growing longer. "I made a mistake of 50 cents in his check, and I had to pay it out of my own pocket. I thought I would tell you because it's hard, you know, for a poor man with a family and \$8 a week to get stuck that way."

"Don't say another word, my man; here's half a dollar to make good your loss."

The waiter pockets the half and thanks the gentleman.

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## The Mercury.

JOHN F. SANBORN, Editor and Proprietor  
SATURDAY, JUNE 25, 1887.

Representative Clarence A. Aldrich, of Providence, has been appointed Assistant Attorney General. He proposes also to retain his office as representative. Such action on the part of certain Republican office holders last year caused the Journal to turn green with rage.

The President has backed down on the rebel flag business. Still the Union veterans do not have the kindest of feelings for him. They look at the intent of the President and believe that if he could have done so without raising too high a storm about his ears he would have gladly returned the flags. They believe that his sympathies are and always have been with the South rather than with the North.

Now that President Cleveland has acknowledged his blunder over the rebel flag, General Fairbank may possibly be induced to give the country his soldier second thought concerning his recent invocation of Deity.

Such slurring editorials as the above from the Providence Journal show which way the sympathies of that paper point. There is seldom, if ever, a criticism of the President to be found in its columns, but you will find plenty of slurs at anything pertaining to the veterans of the late war, or to the Republican party. The Republicanism of that paper is of the nature to give aid and comfort to the enemy.

The Telegram's pet names for some of the State Senators who last week dared vote their principles in spite of the attempted bulldozing of the Telegram editor and his ilk, are as follows: "The two treacherous Democrats," "The stupid Republicans like Olney," "The shifting and hypocritical ones like Carmichael," "The honestly deceived ones like Stearns." In other words, according to the Telegram, they are all knaves and rascals and the latter, and he they would make out to be a fool. Now such language as the Telegram is daily slinging round in regard to those who will not do its bidding will not have a tendency to help its cause much in the end. Abuse never yet succeeded in making converts, nor in bolstering up a bad cause.

If to be a progressive Republican means to vote and act nine-tenths of the time with the Democracy then we do not believe in that kind of progressive Republicanism. We have all respect for an honest Democrat, and we believe that there are many such in this State, but we have very little respect for the man who, while claiming to be a Republican, is all of the time acting in such a manner as to seem, at least, to be trying to win the applause of the opposite party. Some of the Democratic and semi-Democratic papers in the State are very loud in their cries of astonishment because the Mercury does not believe in taking such a man as that and making him a candidate for high office. If those papers who wish to make Judge Blodgett the Republican candidate for Congress in the Western District can tell us the difference between Judge Bradley and Judge Blodgett in their political beliefs and actions we shall be glad to have them do so. We have watched Judge Blodgett's course in the General Assembly for several years; we have also listened to his speeches during the present session, and we know that no speeches have been made by the most radical party man that have given the pleasure to the Democracy that the speeches of Judge Blodgett have given. We know too that on every party question that has arisen he has invariably voted with the Democrats and against his own party. If he was right in his votes then every Republican member of the Senate and nearly every one in the House was wrong. If as a reward for this action the Republicans are to be asked to put such a man in nomination for Congress, if we were in the other district, which should most emphatically beg to be excused from supporting him.

The jubilee meeting in the Opera House, Tuesday evening, was a grand success in every particular. Too much credit cannot be given to Roger Williams Lodge, Sons of St. George, for the splendid treat they prepared, and so successfully carried out for the citizens of Newport. The Opera House never looked better. The decorations were superior to anything ever before presented to a Newport audience. The members of the lodge as well as Mr. J. M. Hodgson, the florist, deserve great credit for the beautiful effect produced. The literary and musical part of the entertainment gave great satisfaction to the large and intelligent audience. The President of the society, Col. Harris, proved himself to be fully equal to the occasion and his address of welcome was a carefully prepared and a timely production. It was received with hearty applause. Mrs. Julia Ward Howe's poem and address added much to the pleasure of the occasion and the scholarly address of Mr. Geo. M. Knapp was a rich treat in itself. The Lotus Glee Club took the vast audience by storm. They proved themselves great favorites in Newport and will be warmly received whenever they come again. The Newport Band, as usual, added to the pleasure of the evening by their fine music. Altogether it was one of the most successful entertainments ever given in the Opera House, and the splendid audience that was present gave a merited rebuke to the bigotry of those members of the Common Council who refused to accept the invitation of Roger Williams Lodge to attend the exercises. A full account of the proceedings will be found on another page of the paper.

The New York Times claims that Jay Gould is a very sick man.

## Choice Bits of Literature from the Providence Telegram.

"That venerable relic of the Charter government, Senator Smith, of Barrington." "The venerable relic must be losing his memory." "A relic who is no better than a whitened sepulchre." "This was almost as gross a misrepresentation as that made by the whitened sepulchre of Barrington in the same debate." Such language as that used concerning one of the purest and most upright of men in this or any other State is an outrage upon humanity. We believe in the utmost liberty of the press, but we do not believe that the press has any right to slander an honest, upright, conscientious citizen. Of course, no one expects any different treatment from such a paper as the Providence Telegram, and consequently its scurrilous attacks upon well known and respected people will work no harm to any save the authors of such attacks.

The General Assembly has adjourned without final action upon the liquor law, the District Court bill, the abolishing the Chief of State Police, the Constitutional Convention bills or any form of constitutional amendment. Therefore, everything will have to remain as it was, for the present at least. Well, Rhode Island has existed under her present laws for many years. She seems to be as prosperous as most of her sisters and her people are reasonably contented and happy. We are of the opinion that it makes but little difference if the Assembly did fail to act on all of the above measures, there is still room for prosperity left.

Judge Field thinks Cleveland is the prime favorite for the Democratic nomination in 1888, with Gov. Hill a good second. He thinks that the labor party is liable to spoil all the Democratic calculations. Henry George has made a careful house to house canvass in New York and claims to have between 67,000 and 70,000 followers. If this party should organize in all parts of the country under the leadership of George it would make the coming political contests very uncertain.

How sad it is? Neither party, Democrat nor Republican, will do the bidding of the Providence Journal. Hence it is unhappy. The imbecile editor of the Journal should migrate to the State from whence he came. Perhaps there in the sunny land of the South, amid his favorite Ku Klux and other clans he could find congenial society and people to do his bidding. Somehow Rhode Islanders seem to be unfavorable subjects for his labor.

Ensigns Hawes and Copps, U. S. N. who were sent to Glasgow last year to take the advanced course in construction and marine architecture, have finished the first term at the head of their class, and between them carried away all the prizes. Secretary Whitney regards the fact as a national honor, and thinks the way is clear, with such men as Hawes and Copps, to make the construction corps of our navy second to none.

The Newport Artillery Company has been requested by Governor Davis to be present at the dedication of the Burnside statue on July 4th in Providence. The Governor has ordered out the entire militia, and in addition there will be present the independent companies, the Grand Army posts and many civic associations. Altogether it will be a great day for Providence.

Five thousand gallons of burgoo were consumed at the first Democratic meeting of the Kentucky campaign. It is officially explained that burgoo is only a succulent mixture of meat and vegetables. But the proceedings of the meeting indicate that the burgoo or something else was taken straight.

The Troy Times looks kindly upon the mention of Robert T. Lincoln in connection with the Presidency, and expresses its belief that if the Republican party should choose Lincoln as their Presidential standard bearer "it would sweep the country as with a whirlwind."

The Charleston News and Courier observes that "the evidence is accumulating that the interstate law can never accomplish the full purpose of its enactment until the Fourth Section is put into active operation."

From July 1, 1886, to April 1, 1887, the membership of the Knights of Labor in New York city and vicinity has fallen off from 104,469 to 61,738. This is not attributed to a loss of interest, but to dissensions.

The Boston Daily Advertiser and Evening Record have been sold to a gentleman formerly of Boston but now a resident of some other city. It will still remain a Republican protectionist paper.

Jacob Sharp slept over Sunday in the former quarters of Boss Tweed and Ferdinand Ward at Ludlow street jail. Perhaps the ghost of Tweed appeared to him with consolation.

A disgraced liquor dealer in Providence was heard to remark one day last week. "It cost us forty thousand dollars to elect this General Assembly, and it isn't worth a cent."

A new English passenger steamer is said to be the fastest in the world, having steamed 25.62 miles per hour for nine hours twenty-three minutes. This is high speed indeed, and beats torpedo boats.

Whitlaw Reid, who has been dangerously ill for several weeks, left for California on Tuesday on his doctor's advice, and will remain during the summer. He suffers from asthma.

The collapse of the great wheat and coffee speculation will prove a blessing to legitimate trade.

Editor Williams of the Providence Journal has gone to Europe.

The celebration to be given by Henry C. Bowen of the Independent at Roseland Park, Woodstock, on the Fourth of July promises to be one of the best of the series which commenced 17 years ago. Congressman John R. Buck, of Hartford will call the meeting to order at 10 o'clock A. M., and give the address of welcome. Congressman John D. Long, of Massachusetts, will preside and make an address. Rev. John H. Paxton, D. D., of New York, will follow with an address entitled "The Second Birth of the Republic." John Boyle O'Reilly will read an original poem. United States Senator W. B. Allison of Iowa will speak on "The Strength of Our Government." The closing address of the morning will be given by General Horace Porter of New York, whose theme will be "Independence." In the afternoon the addresses will be as follows: Hon. Benjamin Harrison, ex-United States Senator from Indiana, "Our Foreign Relations During the Rebellion"; Hon. Clark F. Fair, of Illinois, "General John A. Logan, Patriot, Hero and Friend"; Rev. William W. Patton, D. D., president of Howard University, Washington, D. C., "Negro Education." The closing address of the day will be given by Hon. William Windom, ex-secretary of the treasury and ex-senator from Minnesota, topic, "The Saloon in Politics." In the evening there will be a grand illumination of Roseland Park, including Mt. Eliot, with a display of fireworks.

Queen Victoria boasts of three sons, four daughters, each with a husband or wife, as the case may be, 31 grandchildren and six great-grandchildren. Of these, the larger part get their support, more or less from the English people. The family seems to have taken a desire of naming their children after the Queen, the Victorias being as follows: Victoria, Queen of Great Britain; her daughter, Victoria, the crown princess of Germany; her daughter, Princess Victoria of Prussia; Princess Louise's daughter, Princess Victoria of Battenburg; the Duke of Edinburgh's daughter; Princess Victoria of Edinburgh; Princess Christian's daughter, Princess Victoria; and the Duke of Connaught's daughter, Princess Victoria.

Mayor Hewitt of New York expressed the true patriotism of every good American citizen when he said to a reporter in answer to why he ordered the flag raised over the City Hall: "I ordered the flag raised in honor of a Queen who has reigned over her people for 50 years, and a Queen who was our friend in the trying times of civil war. It is within my personal knowledge that she was asked to join with the French Government in the recognition of the Southern Confederacy, and that she refused to do so. I take the entire responsibility of raising the flag on this occasion, and I have issued orders that while I am Mayor no flag but our national and municipal flags shall be raised over the City Hall."

Daniel Pratt, known as "The Great American Traveler," died Monday morning, June 20th, at Chelsea, Mass., aged 78 years. Pratt has for many years been in the habit of making pilgrimages to the different educational institutions throughout New England, to lecture to the boys, and his coming was always anticipated by the students as a small boy awaits the arrival of Barnum. Pratt was afflicted with a life-long mental weakness, but he was by no means a fool, and his lectures were amusing combinations of hard sense and voluble absurdity. His death will be noted with regret by thousands of alumni at this commencement season.

About seven years ago a lady whose writings have made her name familiar to the people of California, invested \$3000, the savings of years, in land at Pasadena. She planted a vineyard and tended like a man in its cultivation. The boom came. The sale of a small part of the thirty acres gave her the means to build a beautiful house. The other day she sold what was left of her land for \$275,000. Pasadena's growth is typical of what is in store for all the climatically favored portions of California. Get land, young man, get land.

The Supreme Court of Georgia has decided in the case of a wealthy bachelor who had left his estate to his colored mistress and his illegitimate daughter, that the will shall stand. The natural heirs sued for the property on the ground that it is against public policy to allow the property to pass to negroes under such conditions. The Court decides that the fact that the inheritors are colored has nothing to do with the case.

"Among the bills passed by the Legislature of Massachusetts is one making any fence unnecessarily over six feet high, maliciously erected for purposes of annoyance a private nuisance. This law will put an end to a species of selfish annoyance which has been sometimes practised."—[New Bedford Standard.]

In view of a recent incident which occurred in this city, it may become necessary for something similar to be enacted in Rhode Island.

Congressman Holman of Indiana regards the labor movement as the great political problem of the future, and while he expresses himself hopefully concerning Democratic prospects, admits that the labor movement may upset all sorts of calculations.

The strike of shoemakers in Worcester is practically at an end, District 30 of the K. of L. having ordered the locked-out men to take work if they can get it. The lasters, and some of the bottomers propose still to hold out, however.

The Amalgamated Iron and Steel Workers Association of Pittsburgh, Penn., has dissolved partnership with the Knights of Labor.

It is one thing to make promises before election and quite another to carry them out afterward.

## The Strike Records.

The total number of strikes reported by Bradstreet's during the first five months of 1887 is 480, against 104 for the corresponding months in 1886. Nominally this is about three times as many this year as last, but really it is not more than twice as many. The strike habit appears to be growing rapidly. The total number of strikers this year to the 1st of June is 229,803; for the first five months of last year, 346,030. The number striking last month was nearly 70,000 as compared with 216,003 in May, 1886. About as many members of building trades struck in May this year as last. That month last year was the most conspicuous for strikes during the whole of that industrially disturbed twelve month. If continued, the strike habit will have to be considered chronic. Labor evidently feels the strength union gives it, and will not fail to find its rightful advantage if its united forces are intelligently directed. That direction must be in the conservation of property as capital and especially in the security of profits. If there are no profits for one side, there surely never can be for the other. Nothing yet discovered will ever be able to enter the field of industrial operations and successfully claim a share of the profits of risks which it is either unable or unwilling to take for itself.

Additional answers to the circular of the St. Paul, Minn., Globe, inquiring as to the Presidential preferences of editors and a few prominent politicians in Minnesota, Wisconsin, Iowa, Dakota and Montana, swell the number of replies to 1245. Of 462 Democratic expressions, 519 are for Cleveland, 26 for Hill and 17 scattering. There are 642 Republican expressions. Blaine has 322; Sherman, 122; Allison, 68, and 120 are scattering. Vilas and Lincoln have a strong lead for Vice President. Vilas has 157 to 66 for Carlisle, the next highest, and Lincoln has 88 to 52 for Harrison.

The Washington special of the New York Sun says that there are many rumors about the relations between the President and Secretary Endicott. "One is that the President is so vexed at his Secretary of War that he does not want to see him; another is that he actually intends to freeze Mr. Endicott out, and a third report has it that Mr. Endicott's resignation already has been requested. None of these stories can be traced to any authoritative source but the prediction is freely made that Mr. Endicott will be out of the Cabinet within thirty days."

The Mechanical Engineer, published in New York, says: "A marine boiler now in use in this city is a thing of shreds and patches. Its age is unknown to us, but it carries 30 lbs. of steam, and is in a boat which transports 2,500 passengers daily. In one soft patch there are 600 bolts, and in the whole boiler there are 2,700 bolts in soft patches. The putty for these took 12,100 lb. of white lead, and red lead untold. It is a very nice boiler, for those who like that kind of boiler." Where is the inspector? and What is his duty, in this case?

The Democratic New York World calls attention to the fact that one of the bombmen of the new Treasurer of the United States, Mr. Hyatt, is Elbert A. Woodward, and asks if he is the same E. A. Woodward who figured prominently in the Tweed ring and was once a fugitive from justice, bearing a fictitious name.

Eliza W. Bucklin, of Pawtucket, who was elected State Auditor by the General Assembly while in session at Newport, has died in her bed, and will assume the duties of his new office July 1st. His bondsmen are Gen. Olney Arnold, D. F. Longstreet, Wm. P. Moroney, Robert W. Watson, and Hiram H. Thomas.

Governor Beaver of Pennsylvania has signed the bill appropriating \$100,000 for the erection of eighty-one memorial tablets on the Gettysburg battlefield, to mark the positions of the eighty-one Pennsylvania regiments which participated in the great battle.

Mr. William Dorsheimer and family, of New York, have arrived at the Johnston cottage on Bellevue Court.

## Marriages.

In Newport, June 24th, at the residence of Mrs. Oliver Reed, by Rev. F. F. Emerson, Dr. William Schuyler Greene and Marian Louise Hammett.

In this city, 16th inst., at Kay Chapel, by Rev. G. J. McGill, Clara E. Scoville and Miss Mary E. Bliss, both of this city.

In St. Patrick's Cathedral, New York, 10th inst., Rev. W. H. Dwyer, James H. Hines, of this city, and Jennie McHugh, of New York.

In Providence, 17th inst., Eliza L., widow of the late James Coddington, of this city.

In Providence, 21st inst., Ann Elizabeth, wife of George W. Bailey, 65th St., James Shaw, 57th St., John Murray, 58th St., Mrs. Sarah J. Shepherd, 52d St., Captain Herman Crocker, 57th St., and Mrs. Abby Quinn, in her 50th year.

In Apponaug, 19th inst., Mrs. Ruby A. Gordon, in her 52d year.

In Pawtucket, 20th inst., Anna Wells, in her 60th year.

In Pawtucket, 17th inst., Mary C. Davenport, in her 71st year.

In Pawtucket, 17th inst., Eliza A. Robinson, in her 82d year.

In Seekonk, 17th inst., Sarah S., widow of Cyril Reed, in her 80th year.

In Pawtucket, 17th inst., Betsey Potter, wife of the late Jesse Potter, in her 81st year.

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JUNE 1887.	Sun	Mon	Tues	Wed	Thurs	Fri	Sat
25 Sat	26 Sun	27 Mon	28 Tues	29 Wed	30 Thurs	1 Fri	2 Sat
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Insufficiency of appropriation by Congress is given as the reason for an order issued Wednesday by Attorney General Garland reducing the salaries of assistant district attorneys twenty per cent. after July 1, and ordering the discharge of all assistants whose services can be dispensed with.



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Boatmen, June 23.—The Eastern Yacht Club Regatta was sailed in a splendid southwest breeze and a choppy sea. Mayflower led the Galata in the fluke by 13 minutes and 20 seconds.

The winners in the other classes were the Schem, Huron and Shadow. It was sailed over the club's triangular course of 30 miles, 12 miles to a log.

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## WASHINGTON GOSSIP.

Great Heat—The Soldiers and the President—The Battle Flag Incident—The Era of Good Feeling—The President's Backs Down on the Flag Business—The Importance of the Grand Army of the Republic—The Beautiful Grand Army Hall—Prosperous Condition of the Order.

[Correspondence of the Season.]

WASHINGTON, D. C. June 22, 1887.  
More than likely the sultry summer heat of the past few days, has not been an unmitigated evil. Personal comfort is very apt to set aside every other pursuit which does not aid in its attainment.

The recent topics of ordinary conversation and of news paper discussion, have not tended to relieve, but rather to irritate the natural extensibility of men when their sentiments are touched upon.

The St. Louis episode, where the municipality and the Grand Army of the Republic both seemed inclined to disclaim the responsibility for the invitation of the President of the United States to that city, during the period of a celebration which belonged peculiarly to the latter, was instrumental in striking by considering its ending.

More recently the battle-field controversy, overshadowed the first topic, and with the electric qualities of both speed and heat, was likely to have assumed a decidedly angry look, but thanks to the torrid wave, the multitude spontaneously sought some less heating diversion. When the thermometer is indicating ninety degrees, suffering and perspiring humanity forgets all else save a desire to cool itself, and divest itself of superfluous garments, and administer cooling decoctions to the interior department.

The politicians will, however, manage to keep these topics alive for a while longer, in the hope of making capital for their respective parties; but the promise of the era of good feeling which all patriots hope for and expect, grows brighter and nearer fulfillment every year, and no one thoughtfully considering all the circumstances of the case will be discouraged by these incidents.

The action of the President in promptly and sensibly abandoning the proposed return of captured flags, when he discovered what its effect would be upon the minds of a large class of people, and that a doubt existed as to the loyalty of the transfer, has been authorized by Congress, should and the matter. Although, doubtless intended to promote the good feeling which was so conspicuously displayed here at the National Drill, and is now being exhibited by the entertainment at Boston and Lynn, and elsewhere, of Robert E. Lee, Camp of Confederate Veterans, by Grand Army of the Republic's posts, it had the effect of reopening the not entirely closed wounds, and leading to a better acquaintance with the persons and motives of each other, will eventually heal these tender spots, until a complete reconciliation of the sections will be effected.

These two questions, referred to, having occurred almost simultaneously, and the prominence which the Grand Army of the Republic has taken in each, has had the effect of attracting considerable attention to that organization here and elsewhere. Having no political leaning, from a partisan standpoint, this organization is but a kind of one to those that have existed in most countries, and notably in that of France. It is a power in the nation, but a power exerted in behalf of loyalty to country, and of beneficence toward the Country's defenders. In this city, the order has some peculiar features, such as the Department Employment Committee, which sees to the enforcement of the provisions of law respecting the preference to be given to soldiers and sailors, other things being equal, both for appointment to and retention in office; a Pension Committee which aids the soldier, his widow and orphan, in the establishment of proofs necessary to place them on the pension rolls; of a Relief Corps, which comes to the succor of comrades who are brought here in the hope of obtaining either pension or employment, and whose members have become exalted; and, lastly, the important part taken in all parades and ceremonies of a national character.

These features necessarily place this department or the G. A. R. in the foreground, as a representative one, and a glance at its present condition here may be of interest. The new building known as G. A. R. Hall, is one of the most imposing, on the most prominent thoroughfare of the city. It is directly opposite one of the first hotels, and is a welcome improvement over the old dilapidated buildings, which stood upon its site so long to the wonder of strangers looking from the hotel front. It is four stories in height, all but the ground floor being used for Grand Army purposes. On the second floor is a splendid hall with ante-rooms, etc. and the third and fourth, is devoted to the uses of the different posts of the department.

The organization here is in a prosperous condition and numbers upon the muster rolls, our most prominent and influential citizens of private and of official life.

## Gathering of Democratic Leaders in Washington.

WASHINGTON, D. C., June 23.—The presence of many prominent Democrats in Washington just now seems to lend color to the rumor that there is to be a conference with regard to party policy, revenue reform, etc. Among the leading Democrats now here are Senators Harris, Johnson, Cockrell, Gorman, Brown, Call, Hugh and Jones of Arkansas; Representatives McCreary, Holman, Wilson, of West Virginia, Criss and Governor Knott of Kentucky. There are many others here and it is said that Speaker Carlisle will arrive soon.

## Madison Square Garden Sold.

New York, June 23.—There was recorded to-day a deed of sale of the Madison Square Garden property, on Fourth and Madison avenues, and twenty-sixth and twenty-seventh streets, to James F. Woodsworth, for one million dollars. It is intended to erect a building devoted to amusements, on the site.

## The Rowan County Feud.

LEXINGTON, KY., June 23.—Up to the culmination of the Rowan County Feud by the extermination of the "To-liv-gang" there were seventeen deaths. To those must be added the four killed in yesterday's affair. Bud Madden, one of yesterday's posse wounded by the Tollivans, may also die. E. Taylor Young, a former prosecuting attorney in the Rowan County district, who has been accused of being at the bottom of all the troubles, has been arrested at Moorehead, and it is believed he will be mobbed.

While Jay Gould was visiting Mount Vernon a few days ago he was informed that an adjoining tract of land was much needed to protect the property from encroachment, whereupon he suggested that it be purchased, which was done, and his check for \$250,000 paid for it.

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A FINE CONCERT is given on board steamers every evening by the band and orchestra attached to each steamer.

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## TOWNSEND HOMESTEAD, BROADWAY.

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Classes as follows:

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Classes of 15 for course of 30 lessons; age of pupils from 14 upward.

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Object lessons; classes of 25; age 8 to 14.

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Primary classes of 25; age 6 to 14; advanced classes in dressmaking; age 14 and upward.

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Classes of 10; age 12 and upward.

None but girls of well-known good character will be admitted.

The number of pupils taken during the vacation term will be limited.

Application can be made to the undersigned at the Townsend Homestead on and after Saturday, June 4th, between 11 A. M. and 1 P. M.

The premises will be open to the public during the last week in June, and the citizens of Newport are cordially invited to inspect them.

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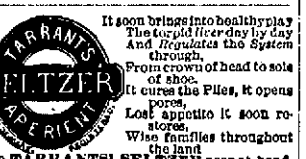
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## New Advertisements.

## FISKE FUND.

THE TRUSTEES of the Fiske Fund at the annual meeting of the Rhode Island Medical Society, held June 10th, 1887, announced that they had awarded a premium of two hundred dollars for the best essay on "Memoranda Entertaining" to an essay bearing the motto "Labor Ipse Voluptas," and on breaking the seal of the accompanying packet the author was found to be James B. Field, of Lowell, Mass. On the other subject proposed for the year 1887 they make no award.

They propose the following subjects for the year 1888:—

1. What changes has the acceptance of the germ theory made in measures for the prevention and treatment of consumption?

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For the best dissertation on either subject, worthy of a premium, they offer the sum of two hundred dollars.

Every competitor for a premium is expected to conform to the following regulations, viz:—

To forward to the Secretary of the Trustees on or before the tenth day of May, 1888, free of all expense, a copy of his dissertation, with a motto written thereon, and also a sealed packet, having the same motto inscribed upon the outside, and his name and place of residence within.

Previously to receiving the premium awarded, the author of the successful dissertation must transfer to the Trustees all his right title and interest in and to the same, for the use, benefit and behoof of the Fiske Fund.

Letters accompanying the unsuccessful dissertations will be destroyed by the Trustees, unopened; and the dissertations may be procured by their respective authors if application be made therefore within three months.

HORACE G. MILLER, M. D., Providence, ALBERT POTTER, M. D., Cleveport, JOHN W. MITCHELL, M. D., Providence, Trustees.

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## ISLAND SAVINGS BANK.

NEWPORT, R. I., June 15, 1887.

AT THE ANNUAL MEETING of the Corporation of this bank held this day the following officers were unanimously elected for the year ensuing:

President—Samuel Carr.

Vice President—Robert S. Franklin, John C. Stoddard and John P. Sanborn.

Trustees—Perry G. Case, Wm. A. Steadman, Wm. H. Wilbur, Stephen S. Albro, A. C. Triss, Isaac R. Spooner, N. G. Stanton, Wm. A. Armstrong and David Brown.

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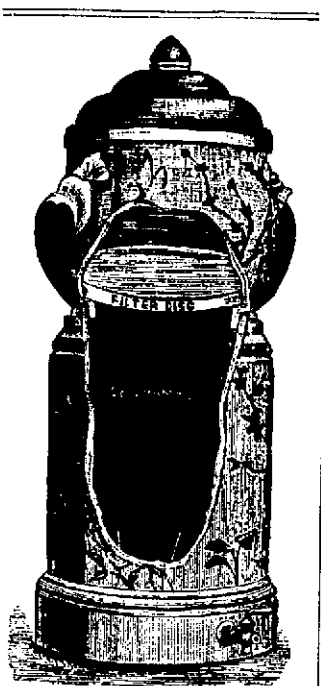
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This filter will make the most foul water wholesome and good. All water should be filtered.

Read the following taken from among the many hundred voluntary testimonials.

Two months ago I made a microscopic examination of water filtered from liquid mud by one of your stones under my own observation. The filtrate was sweet, perfectly clear, and contained none of the minute forms of organic life. It is a perfect filter.

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FOR NEWPORT.

## Miscellaneous.

## R. I. STATE FAIR,

SEPT. 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 1887,

—AT—

## \*NARRAGANSETT\* PARK\*

(NEAR PROVIDENCE).

The Premium Lists are now printed and may be had at the room of the Society, 128 North Main street. A copy of the same will be forwarded to any address free of postage.

Providence, June 15, 1887-24

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The assortment we show and the prices at which we shall close the balance of our stock, which will be regardless of profit and the cost of the garments.

19 light checked jackets with hood, \$2.50  
Five all-wool black Jersey jackets, \$1.00  
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21 light 2-checked jacket, with hood, \$5.00  
These have been sold for \$2.50 and \$12.  
Headed Wraps at \$5, \$8, \$10 and \$12, being \$4 to \$8 less than former prices.  
Newmarkets and Raglans, \$5 to \$15.  
Children's Cloaks for country and seashore wear below cost of materials.  
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## Miscellaneous.

## Notice.

THE CORPORATION of the Cold Spring Bay Bank, New York, will meet at the Banking room of the First National Bank, New York, on Monday, the 27th day of June, 1887, at 11 o'clock A. M., to elect a President, Vice President and three Directors, to compose the Board of Trustees for the year ensuing.

Per order, BENJAMIN MARSH, 24, Secretary.

## The Aquidneck,

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Season of 1887.

The above famous family and transient hotel now open, and will be until November. Steam heat and electric bells. Rates,

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Special rates by the week.

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was an occasion of much splendor and pleasure. Mrs. Alma-Tadema, in a Greek costume, and looked as if she had walked out of one of her husband's pictures. Burgomasters, Queen Elizabeth, German Emperors, Marie Antoinette, and other celebrities were represented in style. Mr. Edwin A. Abbey

How has the social spirit of Italy been perverted by fools at and by bigots at another.—

# Women

and then jumped up and licked  
her, and made every possible  
display of delight. He had not  
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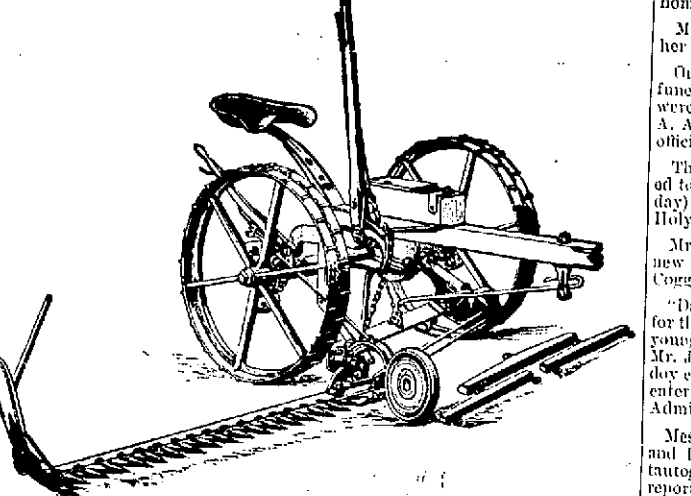


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You may be very sure that I was eager to get rid of this affliction, and to this end have tried almost every form of nerve medication; sometimes it is true, with great temporary relief, but never, until I met with Kaskine, with what bore any resemblance to a cure.  
When Kaskine (the new quinine) was brought to my notice by a friend it was at a time when

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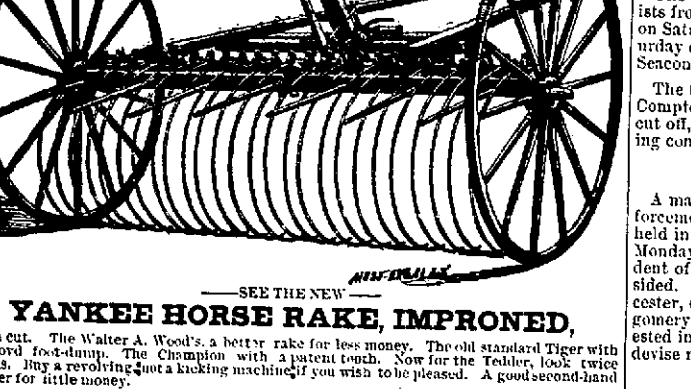


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The new Champion and Clipper all constructed on the same principle and should be seen before trying any other.



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In cut. The Walter A. Wood's horse rake for less money. The old standard Tiger with improved foot-drum. The Champion with a patent tooth. Now for the Tedder, look twice to this. It is a revolving and a backing machine if you wish to be pleased. A good second-hand Tedder for little money.



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## Newport County News

### MIDDLETOWN.

**COURT OF PROBATE.** At the Court of Probate held on Monday, all the members were in attendance.  
The first and final account of Joel Peckham, Administrator with the will annexed on the estate of Sarah A. Weaver was examined, allowed and ordered recorded.  
The following named petitions presented for the first time were referred to the third Monday of July and notice ordered on each, viz.:  
Petition of Felix A. Peckham, Administrator on the estate of Sarah Ann Whitman, to examine and allow his first account therewith, and for an order of Court to distribute the balance in his hands among the next of kin of said Sarah.  
Petition of Rath Sherman to prove the will of Abel Sherman and for letters testamentary on his estate, and petition of Kate Bailey to be appointed Guardian of her minor children.  
In Town Council—Five statements of damages done by dogs were presented as follows:  
Benjamin Wyatt, \$6.20  
Benjamin Caswell, \$6.20  
Thomas S. Lawton, \$11.20  
J. Overton Peckham, \$11.60  
Josiah C. Gifford, \$17.70  
Orders were granted on the general dog fund to the first four persons above named, and an order was granted to Josiah C. Gifford on the dog fund for the current year, for the proportional part of the amount of his damages belonging to Middletown.  
Accounts against the town to the amount of \$185.42 were allowed and ordered paid from the town treasury.  
The claim of Nathaniel L. Champlin of \$25.00 for five months' services as Health Officer, the payment of which had been refused by the Town Council, was presented and advocated by Patrick J. Galvin Esq., of counsel for Mr. Champlin.  
Mr. Champlin was appointed Health Officer in May, 1886, at a compensation of \$5.00 per month and was paid for six months up to November, 1886, at that rate. He was removed from office by the Town Council, Jan. 31, 1887, without notice as provided in the creating a Health Officer. Mr. Champlin contended that his removal was irregular and not valid and consequently claimed compensation up to the time of the expiration of his year in April, 1887. This point was emphasized by his counsel who gave notice of suit if the account was not paid. The Council after due consideration of the matter finally voted to pay the account in full.  
The Council gave further attention to the matter of improving Second and First avenues, and also the appointment of a suitable person for Truant Officer. No definite line of action was decided on in reference to the highway improvement, and the appointment of Truant Officer was deferred.

### PORTSMOUTH.

Oakland Lodge I. O. O. F. was visited on Saturday evening, by Grand Master Eugene H. Lincoln; Deputy Grand Master Samuel L. Carpenter; Grand Representative William R. Duntemple; Grand Marshal, Forest F. Tibbets; D. D. G. M. Henry T. Easton; P. G. James Weaver and P. G. William L. Tilly. This visit by the Grand Master and his associates was for the purpose of exemplifying the work of the order. After this had been done speeches were in order and the visiting brethren improved the opportunity and a pleasant time was enjoyed. After the closing of the Lodge a collation was served, when the visitors started for home.  
Mrs. Julia Ward Howe has arrived at her summer home on Union Street.  
On Sunday last at 12 o'clock the funeral services of Carmi Harrington were held at his late residence, the Rev. A. A. Morton of the Christian Church officiating.  
The Rev. James W. Colwell is expected to be at St. Mary's to-morrow (Sunday) morning and at the Chapel of the Holy Cross in the afternoon.  
Mr. Jonathan A. Sisson is to have a new barn erected. Mr. Edward A. Coggeshall milder.  
"Dulcissima Fete" is the name chosen for the entertainment to be given by the young ladies of St. Paul's Church, in Mr. John L. Borden's barn, on Wednesday evening, 28th, inst. Music for the entertainment comes from Providence. Admission 25 cts.  
Messrs. Isaac Chase, Alfred G. Sisson and Holden Almy went a fishing for trout on Monday afternoon, and they report the fishing to be very good, they caught their ear full which holds upwards of 200 lbs.  
The action of the town of Little Compton in subscribing \$25,000 for the railroad from Tiverton to Seacombe Point assures its construction. It is understood that the contract for building it will soon be given out.  
Rev. G. W. Lawrence exchanged pulpits with Rev. Mr. Hart of Little Compton Sunday morning. In the evening he lectured at the Congregational church on the "Repression of Intemperance."  
The Queen City took 200 excursionists from Providence to Seacombe Point on Saturday and returned, and on Saturday evening took another party to Seacombe to stay over Sunday.  
The telephone connection with Little Compton and Stone Bridge has been cut off, by the West Island Club assuming control of their wires.

### MASSACHUSETTS.

A mass meeting in favor of the enforcement of the non-residence law was held in Baptist Temple in Fall River Monday night. A. J. Jennings, President of the Law and Order League, presided. Rev. H. Montgomery, of Worcester, delivered an address. Mr. Montgomery met ministers and others interested in enforcing the law yesterday to devise means for enforcing the law.

### CONNECTICUT.

Gen. Alfred H. Terry was the guest of the Republican League in New Haven on Saturday evening. The club members, together with the lady members of their families, were in attendance and assisted in doing the honors of the evening. Over 1000 people called to pay their respects. The users were members of the New Haven Grays, a military company that Gen. Terry was a member of at the breaking out of the war.  
U. S. Steamboat Inspectors Daboll and Beckwith, of the District of New London, were in the city this week, and inspected the new yacht Aurelia, owned by Mr. Alexander Agassiz.

### ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

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## A. C. Landers' Column.

A New York railroad man tells a Mail and Express reporter that the mile a minute speed is a myth. Occasionally, he says, trains on a stretch of level track with an easy grade make a mile a minute, but the fastest express train in the United States, the New York and Philadelphia Limited on the Pennsylvania Railroad, averages 42.50 miles an hour. The average fast express of the United States reaches 36.4 miles an hour. The fastest train in the world is the "Flying Dutchman," which averages 36.4 miles an hour, between London and Bristol.

## New Advertisements.

BY THOMAS BURLINGHAM,  
Auctioneer, 1111 St.

## Special Auction Sale

—ON—  
**Wednesday, June 29th,**

—AND—  
**Thursday, June 30th.**

At 10 o'clock a. m. and 3 p. m.  
each day.

**\$50,000**

**WORTH OF LACE CURTAINS,**

**Madras Curtains,**

**Silk Portieres, Etc.,**

—AT SALESROOMS—  
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To the highest Bidder. By order of  
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In liquidation.

In this stock there are some of the finest goods ever imported, consisting of Swiss lace, Madras and Nottingham lace curtains, silk and linen Madras curtains, and a large assortment of silk and tulle portieres.

**Goods on Exhibition MONDAY and TUESDAY, June 27th and 28th,**

to which the public are cordially invited. Sale positive.

**Standing Grass & After-feed**

**At Auction.**

On EASTON'S POINT, on the Peckham and Ward farms, will be sold at public auction, on

**Wednesday Next, June 29th, 1887,**

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beginning at the red flag on the South Farm, all the unsold standing grass in lots as now fenced out.

A. PRESCOTT BAKER, Auctioneer.

**EUREKA \$300 SHOE**

WARRANTED  
GOOD YEAR—WELL SERVED

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**THEY ARE THE BEST.**

They are made from tannery calf skins. The soles are sewed on a welt. Inner soles perfectly smooth. They will not squeak. Made in three widths and last sizes. Have all the points of hand sewed shoes at half the price.

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PATRICK J. GALVIN, {  
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**THE UNVEILING OF THE BARTHOLOMEW STATUE OF LIBERTY, November 1, 1886.**

**ROCKETS.**

**Roman Candles,**

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**NEWPORT NATIONAL BANK.**

A SEMI-ANNUAL DIVIDEND of four per cent has been declared payable on and after Friday, July 1st, 1887.  
R. C. STEVENS, Cashier.

**National Bank of Rhode Island of Newport.**

NEWPORT, R. I., June 1, 1887.  
A SEMI-ANNUAL DIVIDEND of three and one-half per cent will be paid to the stockholders of this bank on and after July 1, 1887.  
T. F. PECKHAM, Cashier.

**First National Bank.**

A SEMI-ANNUAL DIVIDEND of five per cent has been declared payable on and after July 1st, 1887.  
NATH. H. SWINBURNE, Cashier.

## New Advertisements.

**Court of Probate, Middletown, R. I., June 20, A. D. 1887.**

**ELIZABETH A. PECKHAM, Administrator on the estate of**

**SARAH ANN WHITMAN,** deceased, presents to this Court her first account, and prays that the same may be examined, allowed, and that an order be made for the distribution of the balance of said estate, together with the proceeds of the sale of certain real estate of said deceased, among the next of kin of said Sarah, and that the payment of the debts of said deceased, and among her next of kin in the proportions to which they are respectively entitled according to law.

It is ordered that the consideration of said account and petition be referred to the Court of Probate, to be held at the Town Hall in said Middletown, on Monday, the 18th day of July, next, at 10 o'clock a. m., and that notice thereof be published for fourteen days, once a week at least, in the *Newport Mercury*.  
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